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SUBJECT: Iran and Information Regarding UNSCR 1737 -- Guinea

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¶1. (SBU) On January 9, Poloff delivered reftel demarche on the targeted sanctions on Iran's nuclear program imposed by UN Security Council Resolution 1737 to Ambassador Mamady Traore, Political Counselor to the Minister of Foreign Affairs. Poloff gave Traore a copy of the non-paper.

¶2. (SBU) Traore said he appreciated the information regarding Iran's obligations as well as those of UN member states. He said that Guinea is closely following the situation. He confirmed that Guinea has no role in providing assistance to Iran or supplying it with goods related to its nuclear program. Traore said Guinea remains extremely concerned with Iran's refusal to adhere to UN resolutions, stating that no member state has the right to disregard the position of the rest of the world.

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